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SUBJECT: NORWEGIAN ATTENDANCE AT SHARM EL-SHEIKH AVIAN
INFLUENZA CONFERENCE

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1. (SBU) The GON thanked us for reftel nonpaper and confirmed the following delegation attendance for the October 25-26 Avian and Pandemic Influenza (A&PI) conference in Sharm el-Sheikh. Norway is in the "final process" of determining its financial contribution on next year's budget related to A&PI. The GON said it would allocate the resources given for 2009 through the UN.

2. (SBU) Participants from Norway will be:

Mr. Alsak Brun, Deputy Director General, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, head of delegation
Ms. Guri Tveito, Director General, Ministry of Agriculture and Food
Mr. Ole T. Andersen, Deputy Director General, Ministry of Healthcare
Mr. Asmund Prytz, Advisor, Ministry of Agriculture and Food
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